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Welcome to Learning Express!

Helping your child build essential skills is easy!

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Contents

Subtraction

Your child will learn basic subtraction facts in this workbook. He or she will learn how to subtract single- and double-digit numbers without regrouping.

What to Do

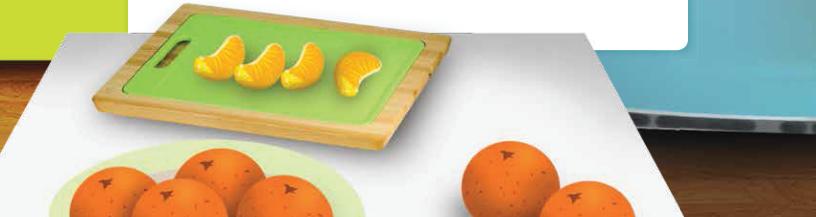Have your child complete the problems on each page. Point out that they can check their answers by adding the answer to the second number. If that answer matches the first number, they know the answer is correct. For example $6 - 2 = 4/4 + 2 = 6$.

Some of the pages have a quilt pattern on them. After your child has completed the problems, have him or her color the quilt according to the directions at the bottom of the page.
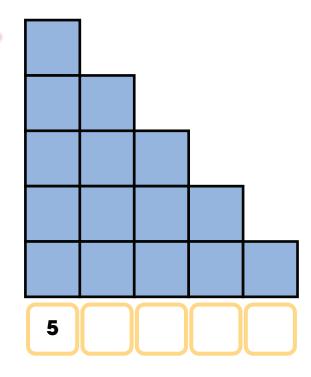
Keep On Going

Play a subtraction game with your child. You can both make up problems for each other to solve. Check your answers by adding the answer to the second number. Point out to your child how useful subtraction can be when he or she is out shopping!
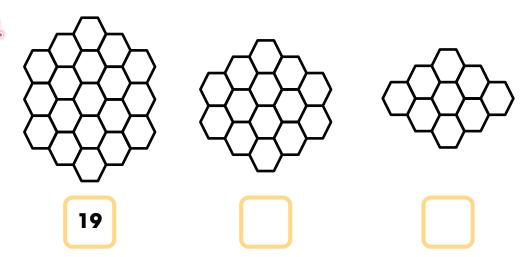
Count the shapes in the figures below and write the numbers in the boxes.

1.

| 5 | | | | |

What pattern do you see? _____

2.

| 19 | | | |
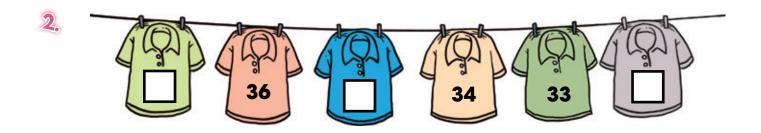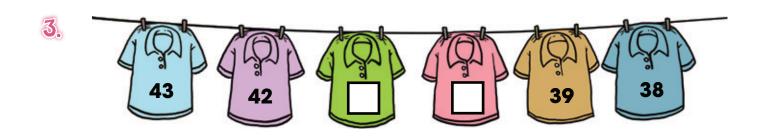
What pattern do you see? _____

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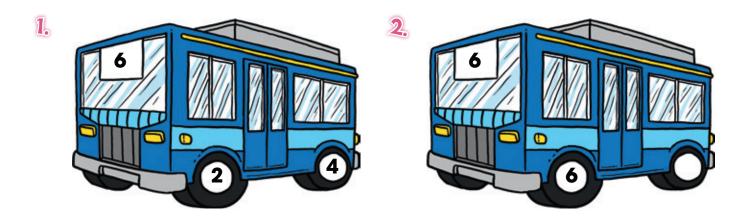
Complete the number patterns.

1.

25 24 23 ☐ ☐ 20

2.

☐ 36 ☐ 34 33 ☐

3.

43 42 ☐ ☐ 39 38

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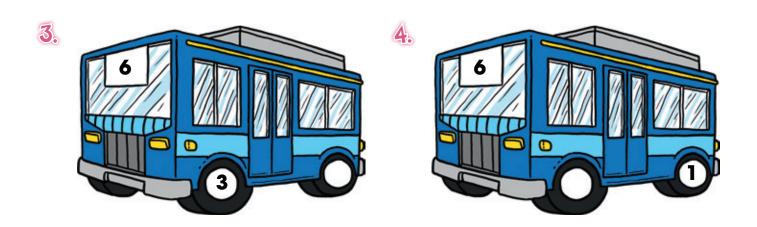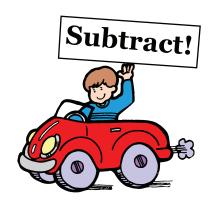
Write the number in the wheels to show the family facts of 6. The first one has been done for you.

1.

6 · 2 · 4

2.

6 · 6

3.

6 · 3

4.

6 · 1

Subtract.

1. 6 – 2 =   2. 3 – 1 =   3. 2 – 0 =

Subtract!

4. 5 – 5 =   5. 3 – 2 =   6. 6 – 3 =

7. 5 – 2 =   8. 3 – 0 =   9. 1 – 1 =

10. 5 – 4 =   11. 4 – 3 =   12. 4 – 1 =

Date: _____

3 coins were tossed. The letters H for heads and T for tails in the circle below show how the coins landed. Complete a sentence to tell about each toss. Then write a subtraction sentence about each toss. Write the number of heads first. The first one has been done for you.

(H) (H) (T)   There are ____more____ heads than tails.

(more/fewer)

Subtraction sentence: ___3 coins___ – ___2 heads___ = ___1 tail___

(H) (T) (T)   There are _____ heads than tails.

(more/fewer)
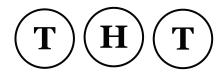
Subtraction sentence: ▢ – ▢ = ▢

(T) (H) (T)   There are _____ heads than tails.

(more/fewer)
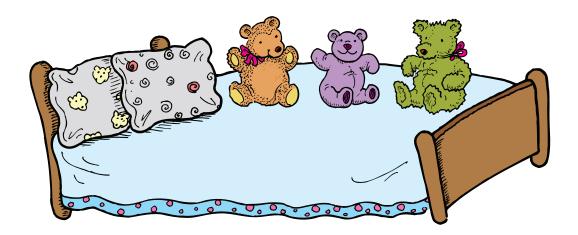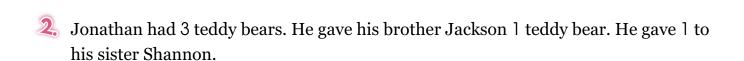
Subtraction sentence: ▢ – ▢ = ▢

Solve these story problems.

1. 3 teddy bears were on Jane's bed. Her sister Eva borrowed 2.

How many teddy bears were left?

2. Jonathan had 3 teddy bears. He gave his brother Jackson 1 teddy bear. He gave 1 to his sister Shannon.

How many teddy bears did Jonathan have left?
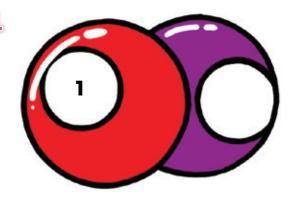
3. Jimmy had 3 teddy bears. He thought he was too old for teddy bears, so he gave them all away.

How many teddy bears did Jimmy have then?

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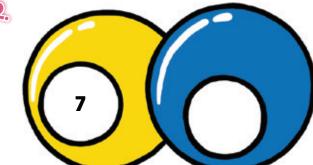
Write the number in the balls to make fact families of 7.

1.

1

2.

7

3.

4

4.

5

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 4 – 3 =

2. 3 – 0 =

3. 7 – 2 =

Subtract!

4. 5 – 1 =

5. 7 – 0 =

6. 4 – 0 =

7. 2 – 0 =

8. 7 – 3 =

9. 0 – 0 =

10. 2 – 2 =

11. 3 – 2 =

12. 6 – 4 =

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ -\ 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$

2. $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ -\ 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$

3. $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$

4. $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ -\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array}$

5. $\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ -\ 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$

6. $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$

7. $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$

8. $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ -\ 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$

9. $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$

10. $\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ -\ 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$

11. $\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ -\ 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$

12. $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ -\ 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$

Subtract!

Date: _____
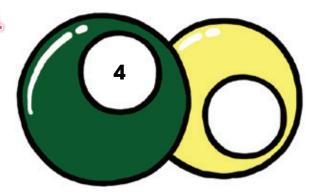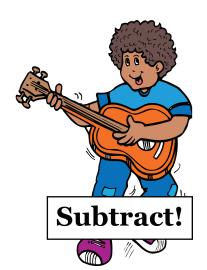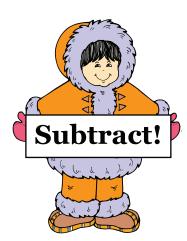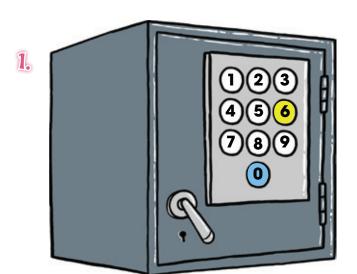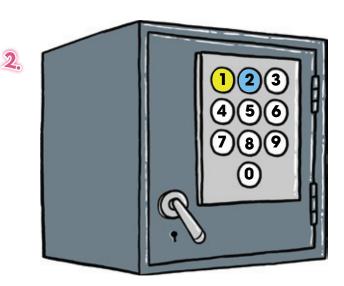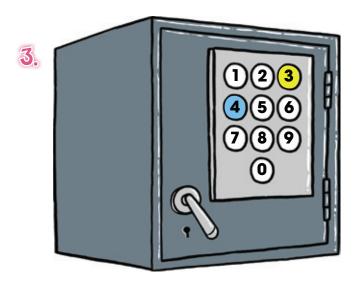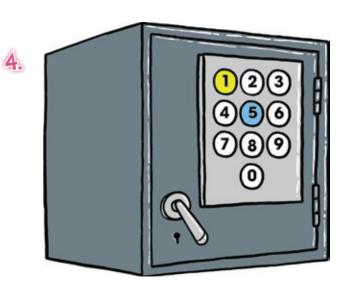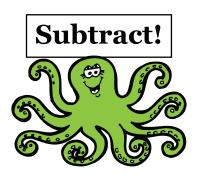
Each safe has a secret code. It needs three numbers that make up the family of 8 to open. Color the third number to crack the code and open the safe.

1.

2.

3.

4.

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 6 – 5 =

2. 4 – 4 =

3. 7 – 5 =

Subtract!

4. 8 – 5 =

5. 5 – 2 =

6. 2 – 2 =

7. 6 – 6 =

8. 8 – 2 =

9. 8 – 4 =

10. 7 – 4 =

11. 8 – 0 =

12. 8 – 6 =

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 6
    − 0
    ___

2. 8
    − 2
    ___

3. 7
    − 6
    ___

Subtract!

4. 7
    − 3
    ___

5. 8
    − 7
    ___

6. 5
    − 3
    ___

7. 8
    − 5
    ___

8. 5
    − 4
    ___

9. 6
    − 5
    ___

10. 6
    − 4
    ___

11. 8
    − 3
    ___

12. 7
    − 7
    ___

Date: _____
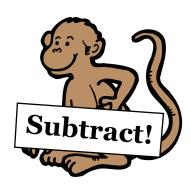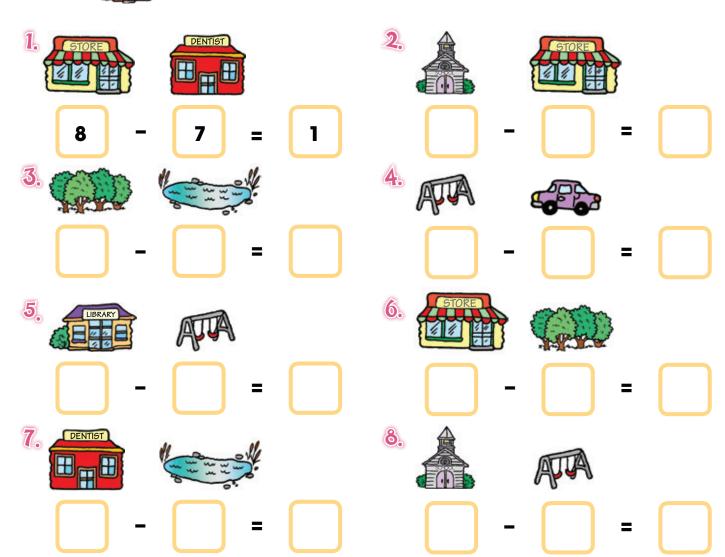
Joash has 9 of each party treat. Some of the treats are in the goodie bags. Count how many treats are outside the goodie bags. Then write how many treats are in the goodie bags. The first one has been done for you.

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☐

☐

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 9 – 9 =   2. 7 – 5 =   3. 5 – 3 =

Subtract!

4. 8 – 2 =   5. 7 – 4 =   6. 9 – 6 =

7. 8 – 3 =   8. 9 – 0 =   9. 9 – 2 =

10. 7 – 0 =   11. 6 – 6 =   12. 9 – 1 =

Start at 🏠 **. Write the number of steps to each place. Subtract.**

1. STORE   DENTIST

[8] – [7] = [1]

2. SCHOOL   STORE

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

3. 🌳   💧

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

4. 🛝   🚗

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

5. LIBRARY   🛝

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

6. STORE   🌳

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

7. DENTIST   💧

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

8. SCHOOL   🛝

[ ] – [ ] = [ ]

Date: _____

Subtract.

1.   9
   – 3
   ——

2.   8
   – 5
   ——

3.   9
   – 5
   ——

4.   8
   – 1
   ——

5.   6
   – 5
   ——

6.   9
   – 7
   ——

Subtract!

7.   8
   – 4
   ——

8.   5
   – 4
   ——

9.   7
   – 3
   ——

10.   6
   – 2
   ——

11.   7
   – 2
   ——

12.   9
   – 4
   ——

Date: _____
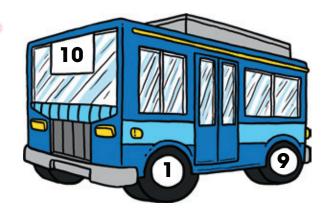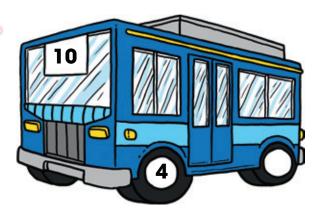
Write the number in the wheels to show the family facts of 10. The first one has been done for you.

1.

10

1   9

2.

10

4

3.

10

5

4.

10

3

5.

10

2

Date: _____
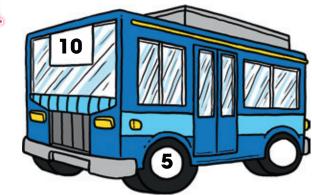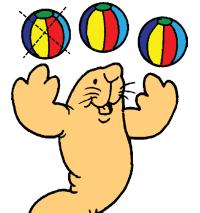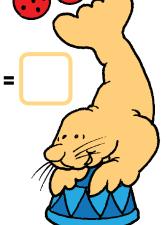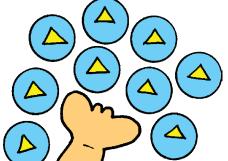
Cross out each ball according to the subtraction sentence. Write how many are left.
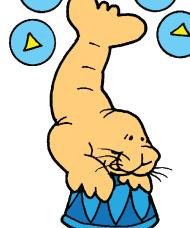
4 – 2 = ☐

3 – 1 = **2**

7 – 4 = ☐

9 – 6 = ☐

5 – 3 = ☐

6 – 5 = ☐
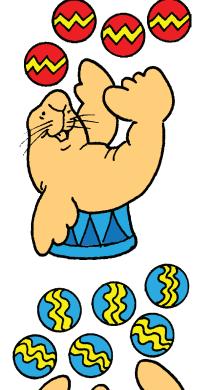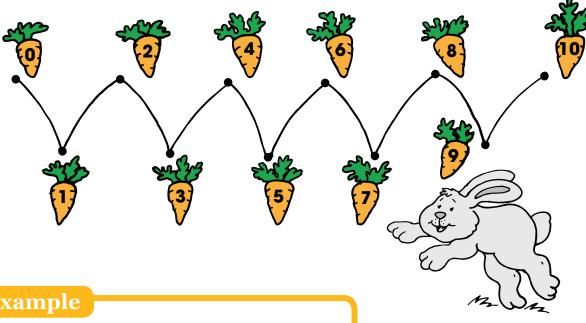
Subtract. Join the dots from greatest to least.

10 − 3 = ☐ •

9 − 1 = ☐   8 − 2 = ☐

10 − 1 = ☐ •   • 9 − 4 = ☐

10 − 0 = ☐   • 7 − 3 = ☐

5 − 3 = ☐

6 − 5 = ☐   • 8 − 5 = ☐

Subtract. Join the dots from least to greatest.

10 − 0 = ☐ •--•9 − 8 = ☐

• 7 − 5 = ☐

10 − 1 = ☐ •

• 10 − 7 = ☐

10 − 2 = ☐ •

7 − 0 = ☐ •   • 6 − 2 = ☐

9 − 3 = ☐ •   • 9 − 4 = ☐

Date: _____

Subtract. Trace the number line with your finger to check your work.

Example

$4 - 2 = \boxed{2}$

Start on 4.
Move 3 🥕 left.

1. $7 - 3 = \boxed{}$

2. $5 - 5 = \boxed{}$

3. $10 - 4 = \boxed{}$

4. $9 - 6 = \boxed{}$

5. $8 - 7 = \boxed{}$

6. $6 - 2 = \boxed{}$

7. $2 - 0 = \boxed{}$

8. $4 - 3 = \boxed{}$

9. $7 - 2 = \boxed{}$
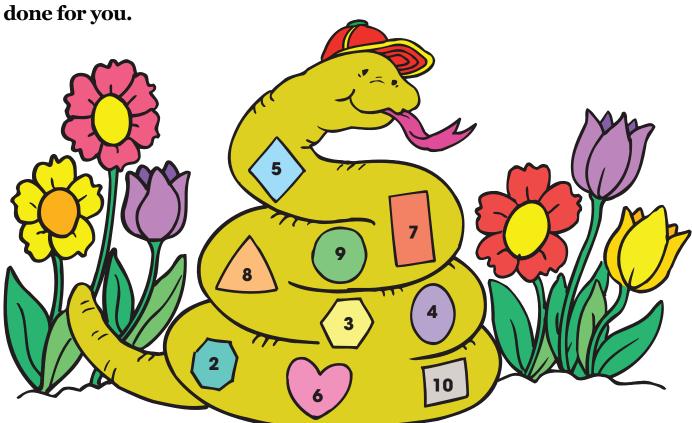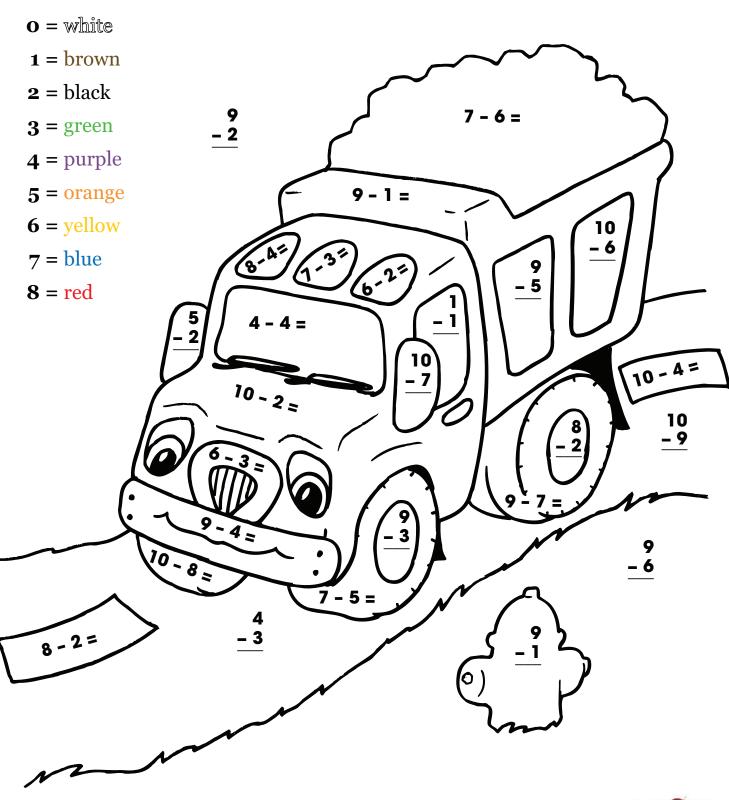
Circle the answer. What direction did 🐰 move to subtract?   Left   or   Right

Date: _____

Subtract. The first one has been done for you.

1. 6 – 4 = 2

2. ⬜ – ◆ = ☐

3. ⬤ – ⬡ = ☐

4. ⬤ – ♥ = ☐

5. ▬ – ⬡ = ☐

6. ⬡ – ⬡ = ☐

7. ◆ – ⬡ = ☐

8. ♥ – ⬭ = ☐

9. △ – ▬ = ☐

10. ⬜ – ⬡ = ☐

Date: _____

Subtract. Color the picture using the color code.

0 = white
1 = brown
2 = black
3 = green
4 = purple
5 = orange
6 = yellow
7 = blue
8 = red

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$7 - 6 =$$

$$9 - 1 =$$

$$8 - 4 =$$

$$7 - 3 =$$

$$6 - 2 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ -\ 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -\ 5 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ -\ 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$4 - 4 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ -\ 7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$10 - 4 =$$

$$10 - 2 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ -\ 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$6 - 3 =$$

$$9 - 7 =$$

$$9 - 4 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -\ 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$10 - 8 =$$

$$7 - 5 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -\ 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$8 - 2 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ -\ 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -\ 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 8
   – 5
   ———

2. 10
   – 2
   ———

3. 7
   – 4
   ———

4. 10
   – 9
   ———

5. 8
   – 4
   ———

6. 7
   – 6
   ———

Subtract!

7. 10
   – 0
   ———

8. 8
   – 2
   ———

9. 8
   – 7
   ———

10. 10
   – 5
   ———

11. 8
   – 6
   ———

12. 7
   – 3
   ———

Date: _____
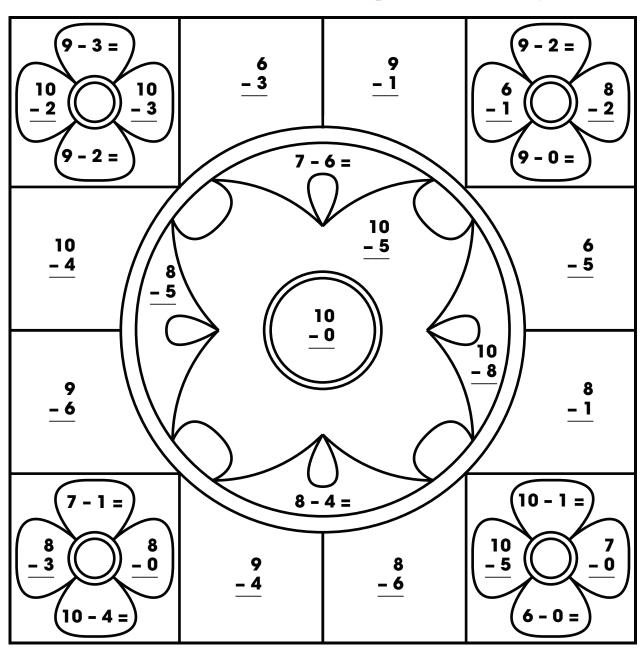
Subtract. Color the picture using the color code.

1, 2, 3 or 4 = blue   5, 6, 7, 8 or 9 = pink   10 = yellow

9 − 3 =

10 − 2

10 − 3

9 − 2 =

6 − 3

9 − 1

9 − 2 =

6 − 1

8 − 2

9 − 0 =

7 − 6 =

10 − 4

10 − 5

8 − 5

6 − 5

10 − 0

10 − 8

9 − 6

8 − 1

7 − 1 =

8 − 3

8 − 0

10 − 4 =

8 − 4 =

9 − 4

8 − 6

10 − 1 =

10 − 5

7 − 0

6 − 0 =

💡 **Fill in the other shapes with colors of your choice.**

Date: _____

Subtract. Draw a line to match mittens with the same answer.

$$10 - 0$$

$$6 - 5$$

$$9 - 1$$

$$10 - 0$$

$$8 - 4$$

$$10 - 1$$

$$7 - 3$$

$$3 - 2$$

$$10 - 4$$

$$7 - 2$$

$$8 - 3$$

$$9 - 2$$

$$10 - 3$$

$$9 - 6$$

$$6 - 3$$

$$8 - 2$$

$$9 - 0$$

$$10 - 2$$

Date: _____
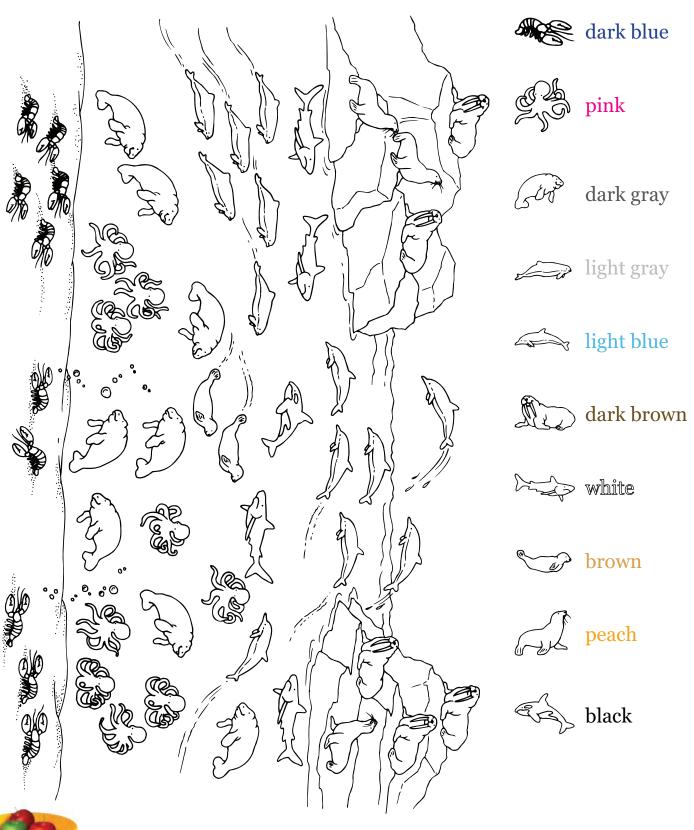
Subtract. Then use the code to answer the riddle below. One has been done for you.

Rockets with subtraction problems:

- $10 - 3$ — **S**
- $9 - 5 = 4$ — **H**
- $8 - 8$ — **D**
- $10 - 0$ — **F**
- $7 - 6$ — **O**
- $6 - 4$ — **L**
- $9 - 4$ — **U**
- $10 - 1$ — **T**
- $8 - 2$ — **W**
- $9 - 1$ — **I**
- $10 - 7$ — **R**

How is an astronaut's job unlike any other job?

_____ _____ _____   ,   _____ _____ _____   _____ _____
  8   9   7   1   5   9   1   10

_____ __H__ _____ _____   _____ _____ _____ _____ _____!
  9   4   8   7   6   1   3   2   0

Date: _____

Color.

dark blue

pink

dark gray

light gray

light blue

dark brown

white

brown

peach

black

Date: _____

**Use the picture on page 32 to count and write the number in each box.
Subtract the numbers.**

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

8.

9.

Date: _____

Subtract. Color the picture using the color code.
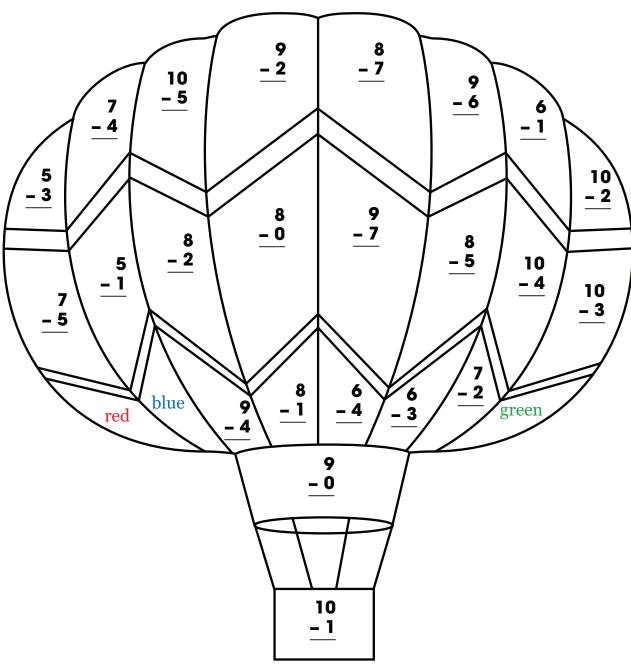
1 or 2 = red   5 or 6 = yellow   9 = black
3 or 4 = blue   7 or 8 = green

$$9 - 2$$

$$8 - 7$$

$$10 - 5$$

$$9 - 6$$

$$7 - 4$$

$$6 - 1$$

$$5 - 3$$

$$10 - 2$$

$$8 - 0$$

$$9 - 7$$

$$8 - 2$$

$$5 - 1$$

$$8 - 5$$

$$10 - 4$$

$$7 - 5$$

$$10 - 3$$

$$7 - 2$$

blue

red   green

$$9 - 4$$

$$8 - 1$$

$$6 - 4$$

$$6 - 3$$

$$9 - 0$$

$$10 - 1$$

Color the other shapes with colors of your choice.

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Subtract.

1.

There are 7 boxes on the truck. Then 4 boxes fall on the street. How many boxes are left on the truck?

_____ - _____ = _____ boxes

2.

There are 10 planes waiting on the runway. Then 6 planes take off. How many planes are left on the runway?

_____ - _____ = _____ planes

3.

There are 6 girls and 2 boys on the bus. How many more girls than boys are on the bus?

_____ - _____ = _____ more girls

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 8 – 5 =   2. 11 – 5 =   3. 11 – 7 =

Subtract!

4. 11 – 4 =   5. 9 – 0 =   6. 9 – 6 =

7. 11 – 9 =   8. 10 – 8 =   9. 7 – 6 =

10. 10 – 7 =   11. 9 – 8 =   12. 8 – 6 =

Date: _____

Subtract.

1.　 9
　 – 2
　 ___

2.　 12
　 – 6
　 ___

3.　 8
　 – 3
　 ___

Subtract!

4.　 10
　 – 6
　 ___

5.　 12
　 – 4
　 ___

6.　 10
　 – 1
　 ___

7.　 8
　 – 6
　 ___

8.　 12
　 – 8
　 ___

9.　 9
　 – 3
　 ___

10.　 11
　 – 6
　 ___

11.　 10
　 – 4
　 ___

12.　 12
　 – 5
　 ___

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 12 – 6 =   **2.** 10 – 6 =   **3.** 11 – 2 =

4. 13 – 6 =   **5.** 14 – 8 =   **6.** 14 – 5 =

Subtract!

7. 13 – 4 =   **8.** 13 – 7 =   **9.** 12 – 9 =

10. 13 – 8 =   **11.** 12 – 5 =   **12.** 14 – 7 =

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 12
    – 4

2. 11
    – 7

3. 14
    – 6

Subtract!

4. 11
    – 4

5. 13
    – 5

6. 14
    – 9

7. 13
    – 9

8.   8
    – 7

9. 10
    – 5

10. 10
    – 4

11. 12
    – 3

12. 13
    – 4

Date: _____

Subtract. Color the picture using the color code.

1 to 4 = orange   5 to 9 = yellow

12 − 6 __
10 − 8 __
12 − 5 __
10 − 9 __
12 − 9 __
11 − 2 __
14 − 5 __
12 − 8 __
13 − 9 __
14 − 7 __
13 − 7 __
10 − 7 __
10 − 8 __
11 − 3 __
11 − 5 __
9 − 7 __
14 − 8 __
11 − 7 __
11 − 9 __
10 − 5 __

💡 **Fill in the other shapes with colors of your choice.**

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 15
    − 9
    ___

2. 14
    − 5
    ___

3. 15
    − 7
    ___

Subtract!

4. 12
    − 6
    ___

5. 12
    − 7
    ___

6. 13
    − 6
    ___

7. 13
    − 7
    ___

8. 15
    − 6
    ___

9. 12
    − 8
    ___

10. 15
    − 5
    ___

11. 13
    − 8
    ___

12. 15
    − 8
    ___

Date: _____

Fill in the missing number for each family. Use the numbers from the box. The first one is done for you.

Tree with bird families (top numbers on birds, total on nest):

- 6, 7 — 13
- 5, — 7
- , 4 — 11
- 7, — 15
- 2, — 8
- 9, — 14
- , 10 — 18
- 8, — 10
- , 5 — 9
- 9, — 12
- , 3 — 7

Number box:

3	8	6	4
7	5	2	

💡 **Fill in the families with twins. The first one is done for you.**

- 3, 3 — 6
- — 14
- — 18
- — 10
- — 16

Subtract. Circle the difference.

1. **11 – 7 =**   five   three   (four)

2. **13 – 6 =**   six   nine   seven

3. **18 – 9 =**   eleven   ten   nine

4. **15 – 5 =**   ten   seven   five

5. **12 – 4 =**   six   eight   nine

6. **14 – 9 =**   nine   one   five

7. **16 – 5 =**   twelve   thirteen   eleven

8. **17 – 11 =**   seven   six   ten

9. **12 – 9 =**   three   two   four

10. **11 – 9 =**   three   five   two

Find each circled number in the word puzzle. Look → and ↓.
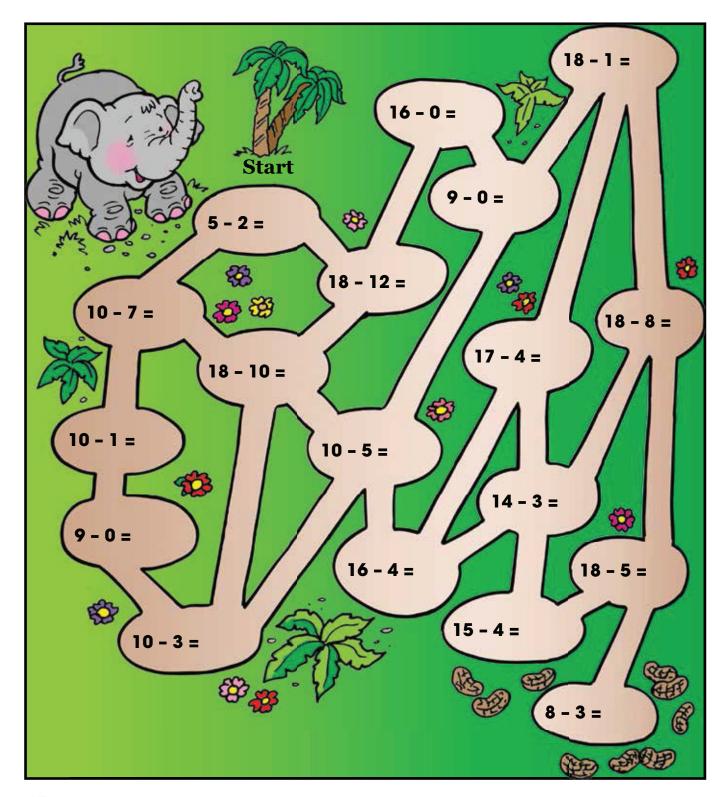
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f	t	l	u	e	j	s	i	x	s	b	x	t
t	t	w	e	l	v	e	v	k	s	t	l	h
e	p	n	i	n	e	w	e	j	e	r	t	i
e	d	n	g	q	i	h	r	y	v	a	q	r
n	v	h	h	o	t	h	r	e	e	c	s	t
d	m	k	t	c	w	b	t	e	n	t	r	e
x	d	i	p	g	o	a	c	p	f	i	s	e
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b	w	u	d	i	f	f	e	r	e	n	c	e
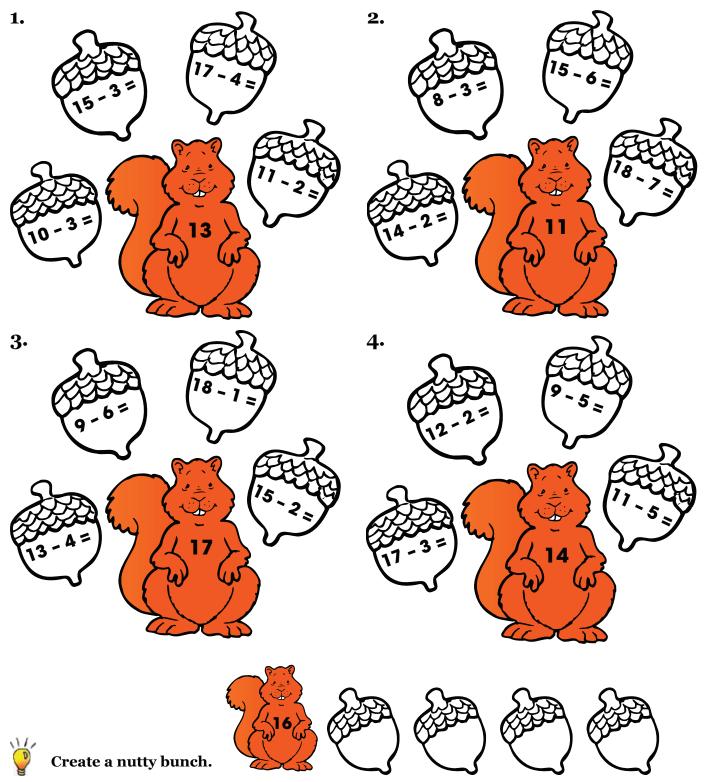
See if you can find these number words: twelve, fifteen, thirteen, subtraction, difference.

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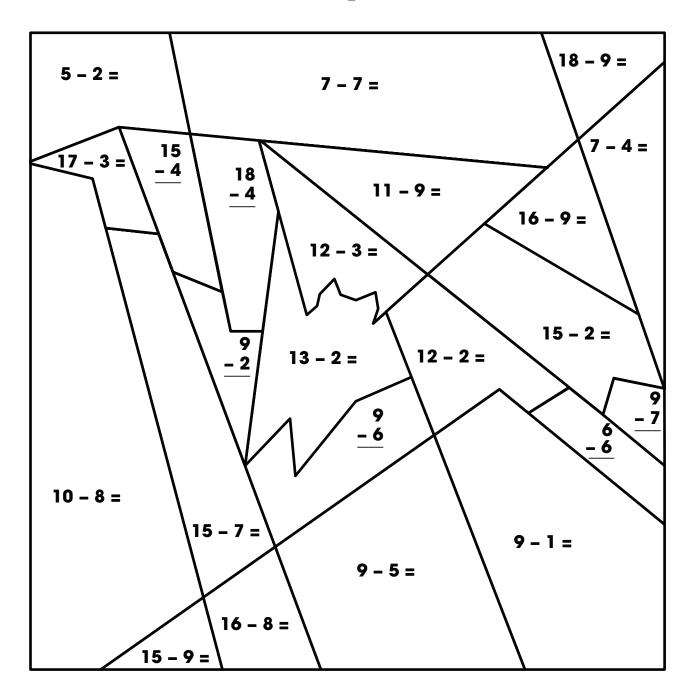
Subtract. Then follow the maze through the odd answers.

$18 - 1 =$

$16 - 0 =$

Start

$9 - 0 =$

$5 - 2 =$

$18 - 12 =$

$18 - 8 =$

$10 - 7 =$

$17 - 4 =$

$18 - 10 =$

$10 - 1 =$

$10 - 5 =$

$14 - 3 =$

$9 - 0 =$

$16 - 4 =$

$18 - 5 =$

$10 - 3 =$

$15 - 4 =$

$8 - 3 =$

Date: _____

Subtract. Color the nut brown if the answer matches the squirrel.

1.

$15 - 3 =$

$17 - 4 =$

$11 - 2 =$

$10 - 3 =$

13

2.

$8 - 3 =$

$15 - 6 =$

$18 - 7 =$

$14 - 2 =$

11

3.

$9 - 6 =$

$18 - 1 =$

$15 - 2 =$

$13 - 4 =$

17

4.

$12 - 2 =$

$9 - 5 =$

$11 - 5 =$

$17 - 3 =$

14

16

💡 **Create a nutty bunch.**

Date: _____

Subtract. If the answer is greater than 9, color the shapes black. If the answer is less than 10, color the shapes red.

5 – 2 =

7 – 7 =

18 – 9 =

17 – 3 =

15
– 4

18
– 4

11 – 9 =

7 – 4 =

16 – 9 =

12 – 3 =

9
– 2

13 – 2 =

12 – 2 =

15 – 2 =

9
– 6

9
– 7

6
– 6

10 – 8 =

15 – 7 =

9 – 1 =

9 – 5 =

16 – 8 =

15 – 9 =

Now answer, what animal can always be found at a baseball game?

_____

Date: _____

Subtract. The first one is done for you.

1.
$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ -\ 2 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
4

2.
$$\begin{array}{r} 13 \\ -\ 7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3.
$$\begin{array}{r} 17 \\ -\ 7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

4.
$$\begin{array}{r} 18 \\ -\ 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

5.
$$\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ -\ 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

6.
$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ -\ 9 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

7.
$$\begin{array}{r} 9 \\ -\ 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

8.
$$\begin{array}{r} 14 \\ -\ 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

9.
$$\begin{array}{r} 11 \\ -\ 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

10.
$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \\ -\ 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
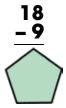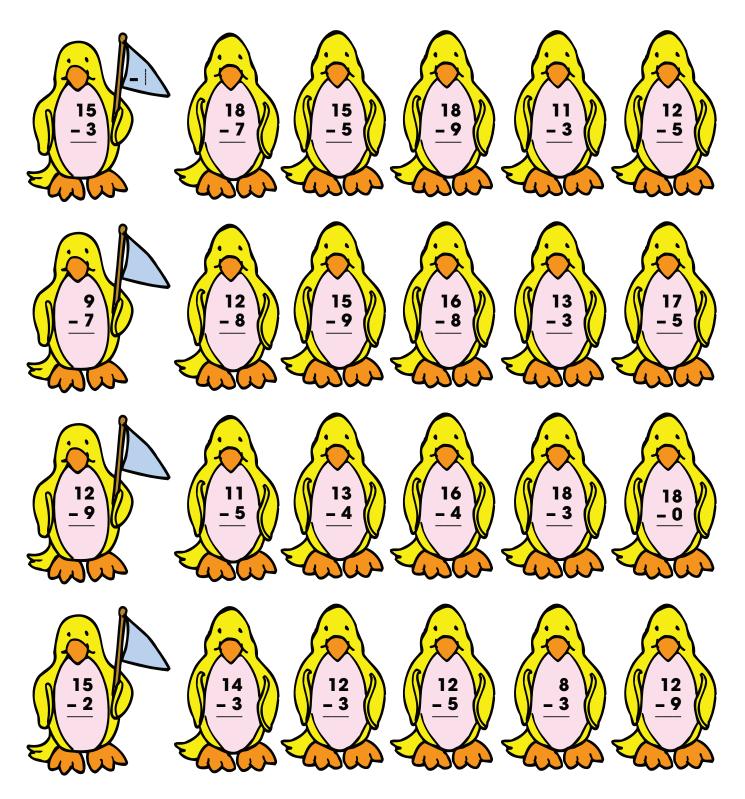
Use the answers above to solve each problem.

11.

12.

13.

14.

15.

16.

17.

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 11
    – 9

2. 12
    – 5

3. 17
    – 9

Subtract!

4. 11
    – 8

5. 14
    – 9

6. 18
    – 9

7. 13
    – 9

8. 16
    – 8

9. 11
    – 3

10. 14
    – 8

11. 15
    – 7

12. 12
    – 9

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 12
    – 4

2. 13
    – 5

3. 17
    – 8

4. 16
    – 8

5. 14
    – 9

6. 18
    – 9

Subtract!

7. 13
    – 7

8. 11
    – 4

9. 10
    – 5

10. 14
    – 6

11. 15
    – 9

12. 16
    – 7

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 13
− 5

2. 14
− 9

3. 16
− 8

Subtract!

4. 17
− 8

5. 15
− 9

6. 14
− 6

7. 12
− 6

8. 13
− 7

9. 15
− 7

10. 14
− 8

11. 15
− 8

12. 16
− 7

Date: _____

Subtract.

1. 16
   − 5

2. 15
   − 3

3. 18
   − 1

Subtract!

4. 11
   − 0

5. 17
   − 6

6. 16
   − 4

7. 14
   − 3

8. 18
   − 5

9. 16
   − 2

10. 17
    − 4
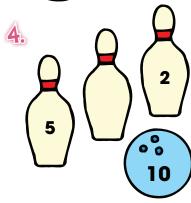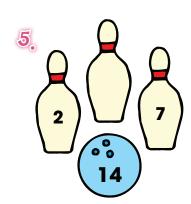
11. 13
    − 2

12. 16
    − 8

Date: _____
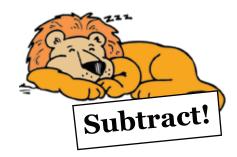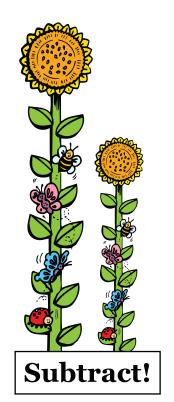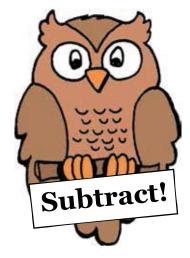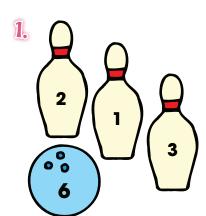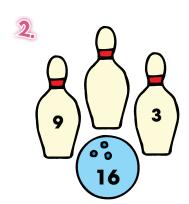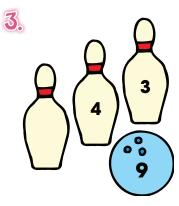
Subtract. Write the pattern on the flag.

15 − 3	18 − 7	15 − 5	18 − 9	11 − 3	12 − 5
9 − 7	12 − 8	15 − 9	16 − 8	13 − 3	17 − 5
12 − 9	11 − 5	13 − 4	16 − 4	18 − 3	18 − 0
15 − 2	14 − 3	12 − 3	12 − 5	8 − 3	12 − 9

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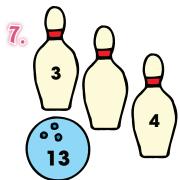## Fill in the missing number. The first one has been done for you.

1.
2 1 3
6

2.
9 3
16

3.
4 3
9

4.
5 2
10

5.
2 7
14

6.
2 5
11
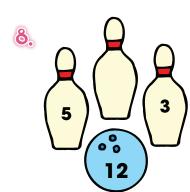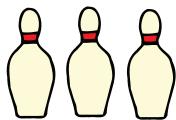
7.
3 4
13

8.
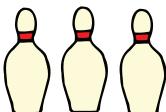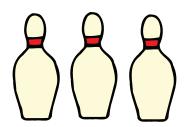5 3
12

9.
3 5
18
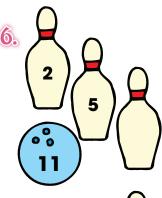
💡 **Find three different ways to make 8 with three numbers.**
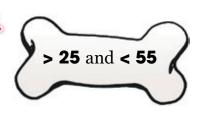
Date: _____

Help Daisy find a delicious bone! Subtract. Circle the answer that goes with each bone. > is greater than and < is less than.

1.

> **40** and < **70**

$$49 - 1$$ $$89 - 0$$

2.

> **25** and < **55**

$$87 - 4$$ $$53 - 2$$

3.

> **43** and < **82**

$$45 - 3$$ $$86 - 6$$

4.

> **74** and < **96**

$$89 - 6$$ $$68 - 6$$

5.

> **25** and < **49**

$$47 - 5$$ $$28 - 4$$

6.

> **63** and < **87**

$$64 - 3$$ $$69 - 1$$

7.

> **16** and < **56**
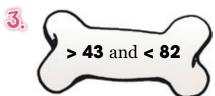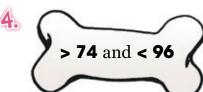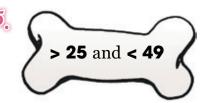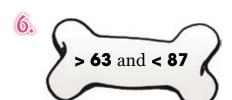
$$19 - 9$$ $$47 - 3$$
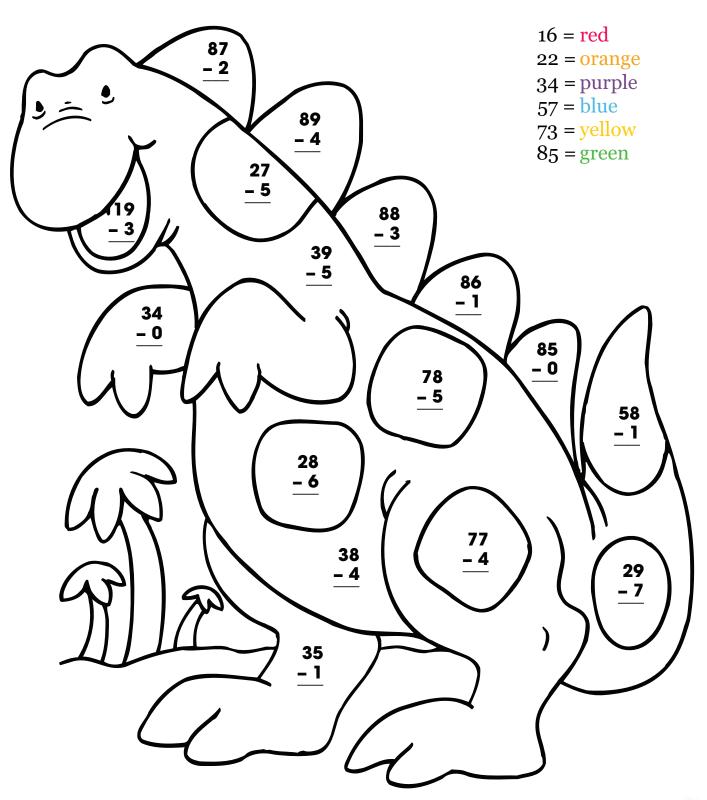
Write two subtraction problems on a sheet of paper.

One answer should match the bone: > **48** and < **87**

Date: _____

Subtract. Color the picture using the color code.

16 = red
22 = orange
34 = purple
57 = blue
73 = yellow
85 = green

87
− 2
___

89
− 4
___

27
− 5
___

19
− 3
___

88
− 3
___

39
− 5
___

86
− 1
___

34
− 0
___

85
− 0
___

78
− 5
___

58
− 1
___

28
− 6
___

77
− 4
___

38
− 4
___

29
− 7
___

35
− 1
___
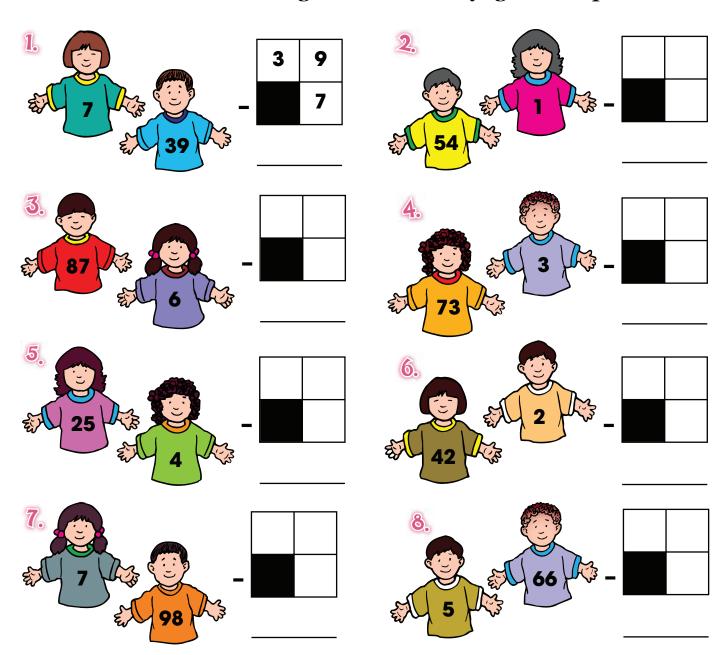
Date: _____

Subtract. Remember: the largest number always goes on top!

1.

$$\begin{array}{cc} 3 & 9 \\ - & 7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

2.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

4.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

5.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

6.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

7.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

8.

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \\ - & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

💡 **Fill in each missing number.**

39   4   27   20   88   83
35

Date: _____

Subtract.

43 – 1	95 – 5	79 – 3	36 – 4	89 – 7	66 – 3	83 –2
59 –9	37 –2	24 –3	27 –6	42 –1	90 –0	55 –2
33 –3	84 –4	28 –8	71 –1	62 –2	68 –3	77 –3

Use the clues to find the gold, the ship and the treasure in the boxes above.

Find the gold. The difference is greater than 50 and less than 55. Color the box with the gold yellow.
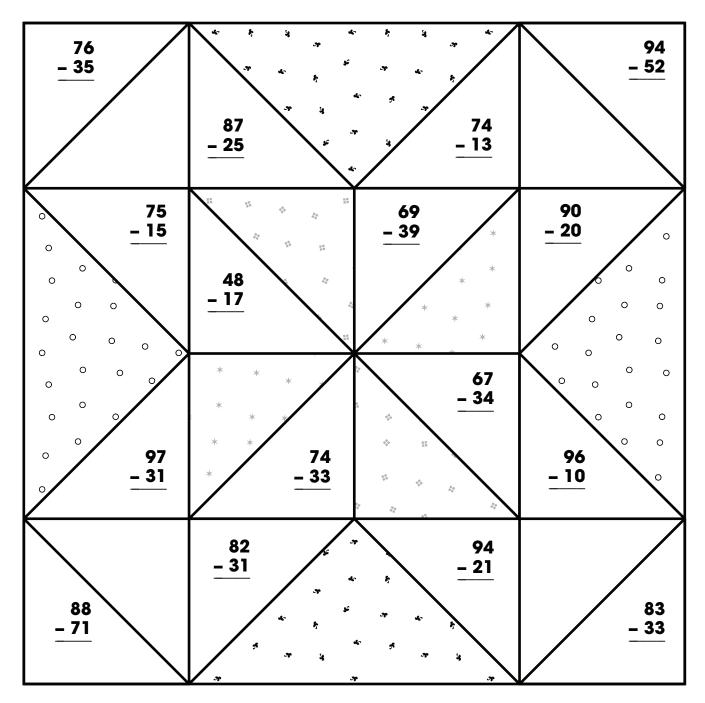
Find the ship. The difference is greater than 30 and less than 35. Color the box with the ship orange.

Find the sunken treasure. The difference is greater than 70 and less than 75. Color the box with the treasure red.

Subtracting 2-digit numbers

Date: _____

Subtract. Color the picture using the color code.

1 to 50 = red   51 to 99 = blue

76 – 35	87 – 25 74 – 13	94 – 52
75 – 15 48 – 17	69 – 39	90 – 20
97 – 31	74 – 33 67 – 34	96 – 10
88 – 71	82 – 31 94 – 21	83 – 33

Fill in the other shapes with colors of your choice.
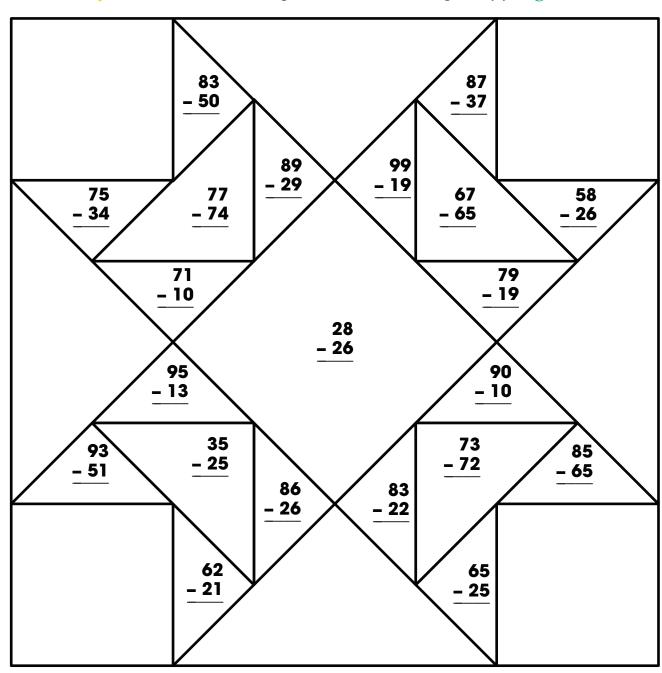
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Subtract. There are three different sizes of triangles in this quilt block. Can you find them all?

1 to 10 = yellow   11 to 50 = blue   51 to 99 = green

83
− 50
___

87
− 37
___

89
− 29
___

99
− 19
___

75
− 34
___

77
− 74
___

67
− 65
___

58
− 26
___

71
− 10
___

79
− 19
___

28
− 26
___

95
− 13
___

90
− 10
___

93
− 51
___

35
− 25
___

73
− 72
___

85
− 65
___

86
− 26
___

83
− 22
___

62
− 21
___

65
− 25
___

Fill in the other shapes with colors of your choice.

Date: _____
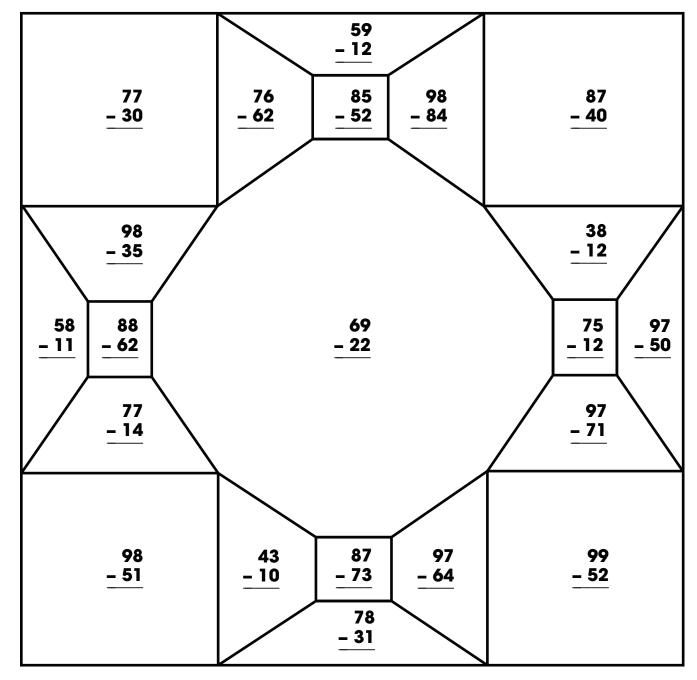
Subtract. Then use the color code to tell you what color to make each answer.

14 = pink   47 = yellow   26 = purple
63 = green   33 = blue

$$59 - 12$$

$$77 - 30$$

$$76 - 62$$

$$85 - 52$$

$$98 - 84$$

$$87 - 40$$

$$98 - 35$$

$$38 - 12$$

$$58 - 11$$

$$88 - 62$$

$$69 - 22$$

$$75 - 12$$

$$97 - 50$$

$$77 - 14$$

$$97 - 71$$

$$98 - 51$$

$$43 - 10$$

$$87 - 73$$

$$97 - 64$$

$$99 - 52$$

$$78 - 31$$

Date: _____

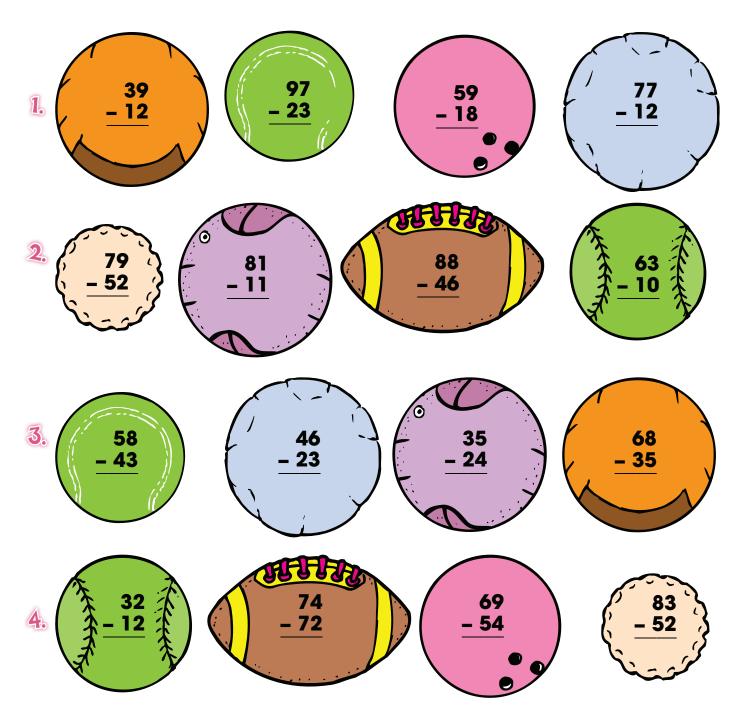| Day of the Week	Reading Minutes
Sunday	97
Monday	28
Tuesday	73
Wednesday	44
Thursday	51
Friday	45
Saturday	80

Use the chart above to answer the questions.

1. What day did Alex read for the longest time?

_____

2. What day did Alex read for the shortest time?

_____

3. How many more minutes did Alex read on Sunday than Tuesday? ☐ minutes

4. How many more minutes did Alex read on Tuesday than Thursday? ☐ minutes

💡 **One hour is 60 minutes. On what days did Alex read longer than one hour?**

_____, _____, _____

Subtract.

1.
$$\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ -\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ -\ 23 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 59 \\ -\ 18 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 77 \\ -\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

2.
$$\begin{array}{r} 79 \\ -\ 52 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 81 \\ -\ 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ -\ 46 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 63 \\ -\ 10 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

3.
$$\begin{array}{r} 58 \\ -\ 43 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 46 \\ -\ 23 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ -\ 24 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 68 \\ -\ 35 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

4.
$$\begin{array}{r} 32 \\ -\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 74 \\ -\ 72 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 69 \\ -\ 54 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
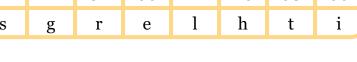$$\begin{array}{r} 83 \\ -\ 52 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

The Rams scored 49 points in the football game. The Bears scored 27 points.
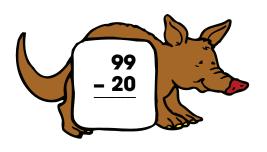How many more points did the Rams score than the Bears? _____

Date: _____

Subtract. Then use the code to fill in the letters to finish each sun fact.

13	26	34	42	57	63	71	76	85	88
f	a	s	g	r	e	l	h	t	i

$$
\begin{array}{cccc}
47 & 86 & 57 & 89 \\
-13 & -\ 1 & -31 & -32 \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

1. The sun is a ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ .

$$
\begin{array}{ccccc}
82 & 98 & 72 & 97 & 99 \\
-11 & -10 & -30 & -21 & -14 \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

2. The sun gives ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ and

$$
\begin{array}{cccc}
98 & 68 & 88 & 98 \\
-22 & -\ 5 & -62 & -13 \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ to Earth.

$$
\begin{array}{cccc}
88 & 89 & 49 & 75 \\
-17 & -\ 1 & -36 & -12 \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

3. Without the sun, there would be no ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ .

Date: _____
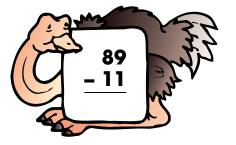
Subtract. Match the answer with the animal fact.

$$\begin{array}{r} 99 \\ -\ 20 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

wild boar ●   ● **31** I am the only mammal that can fly.

$$\begin{array}{r} 89 \\ -\ 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
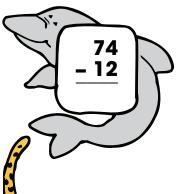
ostrich ●   ● **78** I am a large bird, but I cannot fly.

$$\begin{array}{r} 65 \\ -\ 34 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
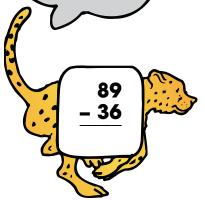
bat ●   ● **79** I can weigh over 250 pounds.

$$\begin{array}{r} 74 \\ -\ 12 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

dolphin ●   ● **53** I am the fastest of all animals.

$$\begin{array}{r} 89 \\ -\ 36 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
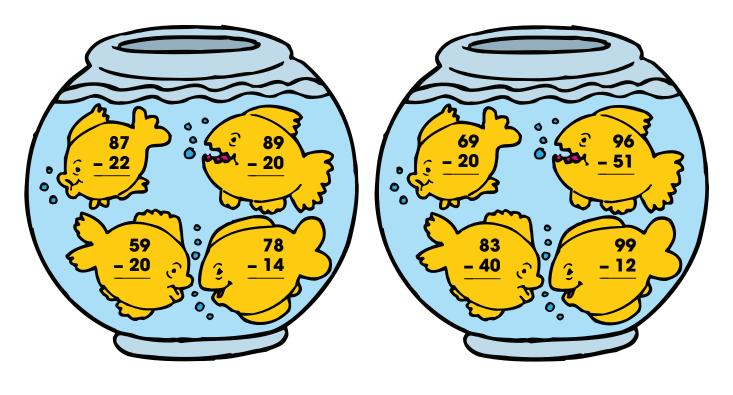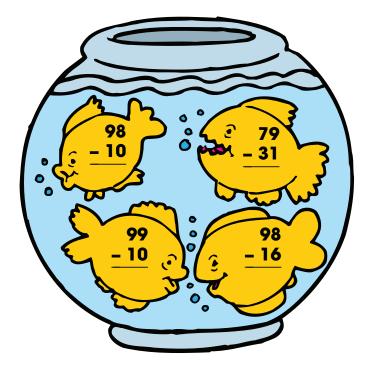
cheetah ●   ● **62** I swim like a fish, but I am really a mammal.

subtracting 2-digit numbers

Subtract. Circle the fish that does not belong with the family.
Hint: Look at the tens place.

Bowl 1:
- 87 − 22
- 89 − 20
- 59 − 20
- 78 − 14

Bowl 2:
- 69 − 20
- 96 − 51
- 83 − 40
- 99 − 12

Bowl 3:
- 98 − 10
- 79 − 31
- 99 − 10
- 98 − 16

Read the questions. Write the number sentence for each question and solve the problem.

1. There are 78 adults at a circus.
There are 43 children at the circus.
How many more adults than children are at the circus?

☐ ◯ ☐ = ☐

2. 43 children watch the circus.
12 children hold flags.
How many children are not holding flags?

☐ ◯ ☐ = ☐

3. Two clowns are juggling 16 balls.
One clown drops 3 balls.
How many balls are left?

☐ ◯ ☐ = ☐

Read the questions. Write the number sentence for each question and solve the problem.

1. Cassie invited 38 friends to her birthday party.
She invited 22 girls.
How many boys did she invite?

☐ ◯ ☐ **=** ☐

2. 18 girls and 12 boys came to the party.
How many fewer boys than girls are at the party?

☐ ◯ ☐ **=** ☐

3. The children played 'popped the balloons'.
There were 48 balloons at first.
At the end of the game, only 8 balloons are left.
How many balloons did the children burst?

☐ ◯ ☐ **=** ☐

Date: _____

Read the questions. Write the number sentence for each question and solve the problem.

1. There were 49 boats at a shop.
   9 boats were rented for the day.
   How many boats are not rented?

   ☐ ◯ ☐ = ☐

2. Simon and his Dad rented a boat to go fishing.
   Simon caught 2 fish.
   His father caught 7 fish.
   How many more fish did Simon's father catch?

   ☐ ◯ ☐ = ☐

3. 25 boats took part in a race.
   14 boats reached the finishing line.
   How many boats did not reach the finishing line?

   ☐ ◯ ☐ = ☐

Subtraction Practice Test

Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

1. 15 – 2 =

- A 13
- B 9
- C 10
- D 11

2. 27
– 16

- A 7
- B 8
- C 11
- D 10

3. 54
– 23

- A 35
- B 25
- C 38
- D 31

4. 9 – 5 =

- A 4
- B 6
- C 3
- D 5

Subtraction Practice Test

Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

5. 27 – 13 =

- ○ **A** 13
- ○ **B** 14
- ○ **C** 15
- ○ **D** 16

6. 47
– 26

- ○ **A** 15
- ○ **B** 16
- ○ **C** 17
- ○ **D** 21

7. 78
– 56

- ○ **A** 22
- ○ **B** 24
- ○ **C** 32
- ○ **D** 16

8. 16
– 9

- ○ **A** 8
- ○ **B** 7
- ○ **C** 6
- ○ **D** 10

Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

9.
$$\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ -\ 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ○ **A** 85
- ○ **B** 87
- ○ **C** 75
- ○ **D** 65

10.
$$\begin{array}{r} 88 \\ -\ 21 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ○ **A** 63
- ○ **B** 67
- ○ **C** 81
- ○ **D** 93

11.
$$\begin{array}{r} 55 \\ -\ 34 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ○ **A** 22
- ○ **B** 21
- ○ **C** 19
- ○ **D** 20

12.
$$\begin{array}{r} 57 \\ -\ 24 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ○ **A** 25
- ○ **B** 38
- ○ **C** 33
- ○ **D** 42

Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

13.
$$\begin{array}{r} 98 \\ -\ 13 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ◯ **A**   85
- ◯ **B**   105
- ◯ **C**   75
- ◯ **D**   64

15.
$$\begin{array}{r} 97 \\ -\ 56 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ◯ **A**   34
- ◯ **B**   43
- ◯ **C**   41
- ◯ **D**   39

14.
$$\begin{array}{r} 74 \\ -\ 62 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ◯ **A**   9
- ◯ **B**   13
- ◯ **C**   6
- ◯ **D**   12

16.
$$\begin{array}{r} 57 \\ -\ 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

- ◯ **A**   54
- ◯ **B**   49
- ◯ **C**   36
- ◯ **D**   26

Fill in the bubble next to the correct answer.

17. Which subtraction sentence shows how many melons are left?

○ **A** $5 - 1 = 4$ ○ **C** $3 - 3 = 0$

○ **B** $5 - 2 = 3$ ○ **D** $2 - 2 = 0$

18. Which subtraction sentence shows how many frogs are left?

○ **A** $7 - 0 = 7$ ○ **C** $4 - 4 = 0$

○ **B** $3 - 3 = 0$ ○ **D** $7 - 3 = 4$

19. There are 57 cars in a car park.
There are 22 motorcycles in the car park.
How many more cars than motorcycles are there?

○ **A**   35   ○ **C**   75

○ **B**   39   ○ **D**   79

20. John took a Math test which consisted of 95 questions.
He answered 74 questions correctly.
How many questions did he answer wrongly?

○ **A**   11   ○ **C**   29

○ **B**   21   ○ **D**   39

Read the questions. Write the number sentence for each question and solve the problem.

21. Jessie had 90¢.
She bought a pack of chips for 50¢.
Then she spent 30¢ on a packet of juice.

ⓐ How much did Jessie have after buying the pack of chips?

☐ ○ ☐ = ☐

ⓑ How much more did she spend on the pack of chips than the packet of juice?

☐ ○ ☐ = ☐

Answer Key

Page 6

1. 5, 4, 3, 2, 1; The pattern decreases by one square.

2. 19, 14, 9; The pattern decreases by five hexagons.

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Row 1: 25, 24, 23, 22, 21, 20
Row 2: 37, 36, 35, 34, 33, 32
Row 3: 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, 38

Page 8

1. 2, 4   2. 6, 0   3. 3, 3   4. 5, 1

Page 9

1. 4	2. 2	3. 2	4. 0
5. 1	6. 3	7. 3	8. 3
9. 0	10. 1	11. 1	12. 3

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Review that the subtraction sentences are correct.

Page 11

1. 1   2. 1   3. 0

Page 12

1, 6, 7, 0, 4, 3, 5, 2

Page 13

1. 1	2. 3	3. 5	4. 4
5. 7	6. 4	7. 2	8. 4
9. 0	10. 0	11. 1	12. 2

Page 14

1. 3	2. 1	3. 2	4. 5
5. 0	6. 3	7. 4	8. 4
9. 5	10. 0	11. 6	12. 3

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Color: 1. 2   2. 5   3. 1   4. 3

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1. 1	2. 0	3. 2	4. 3
5. 3	6. 0	7. 0	8. 6
9. 4	10. 3	11. 8	12. 2

Page 17

1. 6	2. 6	3. 1	4. 4
5. 1	6. 2	7. 3	8. 1
9. 1	10. 2	11. 5	12. 0

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7, 6, 5, 8, 3

Page 19

1. 0	2. 2	3. 2	4. 6
5. 3	6. 3	7. 5	8. 9
9. 7	10. 7	11. 0	12. 8

Page 20

1. $8 - 7 = 1$ 2. $10 - 8 = 2$
3. $6 - 5 = 1$ 4. $4 - 3 = 1$
5. $9 - 4 = 5$ 6. $8 - 6 = 2$
7. $7 - 5 = 2$ 8. $10 - 4 = 6$

Page 21

1. 6	2. 3	3. 4	4. 7
5. 1	6. 2	7. 4	8. 1
9. 4	10. 4	11. 5	12. 5

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1. 1, 9   2. 4, 6   3. 5, 5
4. 7, 3   5. 8, 2

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$7 - 4 = 3$ $4 - 2 = 2$

$9 - 6 = 3$ $5 - 3 = 2$

$6 - 5 = 1$

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$10 - 3 = 7$
$9 - 1 = 8$ $8 - 2 = 6$
$10 - 1 = 9$ $9 - 4 = 5$
$10 - 0 = 10$ $7 - 3 = 4$
$5 - 3 = 2$
$6 - 5 = 1$ $8 - 5 = 3$

$10 - 0 = 10$ $9 - 8 = 1$
$10 - 1 = 9$ $7 - 5 = 2$
$10 - 2 = 8$ $10 - 7 = 3$
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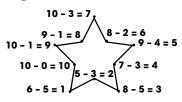
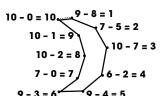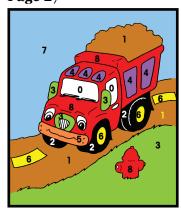**Page 25**

1. 4   2. 0   3. 6

4. 3   5. 1   6. 4

7. 2   8. 1   9. 5

Circle: Left

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1. 6 − 4 = 2   2. 10 − 5 = 5

3. 9 − 2 = 7   4. 9 − 6 = 3

5. 7 − 2 = 5   6. 3 − 2 = 1

7. 5 − 3 = 2   8. 6 − 4 = 2

9. 8 − 7 = 1   10. 10 − 3 = 7

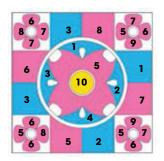**Page 27**
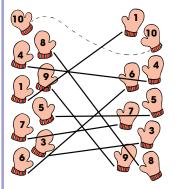
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1. 3   2. 8

3. 3   4. 1

5. 4   6. 1

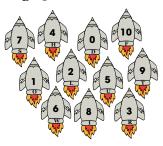7. 10   8. 6

9. 1   10. 5

11. 2   12. 4

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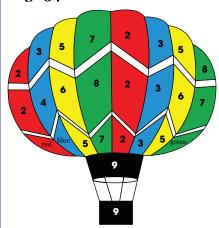
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Review that directions have been followed.

1. 9 − 4 = 5   2. 8 − 1 = 7

3. 10 − 3 = 7   4. 8 − 6 = 2

5. 7 − 2 = 5   6. 8 − 4 = 4

7. 10 − 4 = 6   8. 8 − 2 = 6

9. 9 − 6 = 3

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1. 7 − 4 = 3   2. 10 − 6 = 4

3. 6 − 2 = 4

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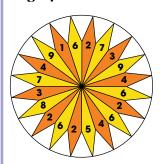
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5. 9   6. 3   7. 2   8. 2

9. 1   10. 3   11. 1   12. 2

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1. 7   2. 6   3. 5   4. 4

5. 8   6. 9   7. 2   8. 4

9. 6   10. 5   11. 6   12. 7

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1. 6   2. 4   3. 9   4. 7

5. 6   6. 9   7. 9   8. 6

9. 3   10. 5   11. 7   12. 7

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9. 5   10. 6   11. 9   12. 9
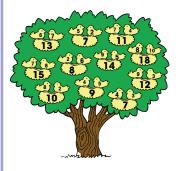
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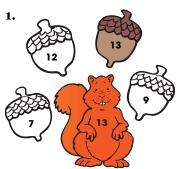
9. 4   10. 10   11. 5   12. 7

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7,7; 9,9; 5,5; 8,8

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1. four
2. seven
3. nine
4. ten
5. eight
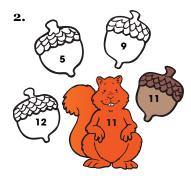6. five
7. eleven
8. six
9. three
10. two

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1.

2.

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4.

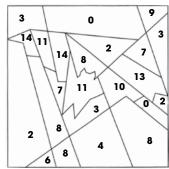**Page 46**

A bat

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1. 4   2. 6   3. 10   4. 9
5. 7   6. 2   7. 5   8. 8
9. 3   10. 1   11. 5 − 2 = 3
12. 9 − 3 = 6   13. 7 − 5 = 2
14. 8 − 1 = 7   15. 12 − 6 = 6
16. 16 − 8 = 8   17. 14 − 5 = 9

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5. 5   6. 9   7. 4   8. 8
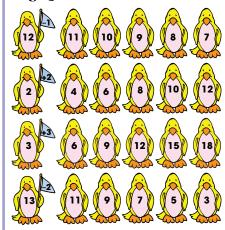9. 8   10. 6   11. 8   12. 3

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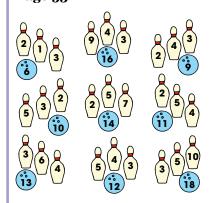9. 8   10. 6   11. 7   12. 9

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1. 11   2. 12   3. 17   4. 11
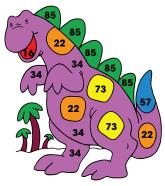5. 11   6. 12   7. 11   8. 13
9. 14   10. 13   11. 11   12. 8

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Circle: 1. 48   2. 51   3. 80   4. 83
        5. 42   6. 68   7. 44

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1.
$$\begin{array}{r} 39 \\ -\ 7 \\ \hline 32 \end{array}$$

2.
$$\begin{array}{r} 54 \\ -\ 1 \\ \hline 53 \end{array}$$

3.
$$\begin{array}{r} 87 \\ -\ 6 \\ \hline 81 \end{array}$$

4.
$$\begin{array}{r} 73 \\ -\ 3 \\ \hline 70 \end{array}$$

5.
$$\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ -\ 4 \\ \hline 21 \end{array}$$

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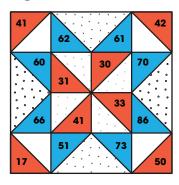
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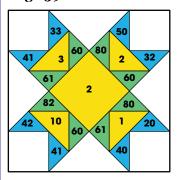
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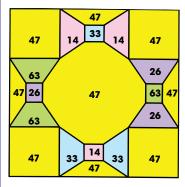| 42	90	76	32	82	63	81
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1. Sunday

2. Monday

3. 24

4. 22

Sunday, Tuesday, Saturday

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1. 27, 74, 41, 65

2. 27, 70, 42, 53
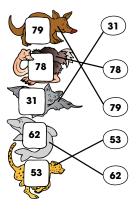
3. 15, 23, 11, 33

4. 20, 2, 15, 31;

22 points

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1. 34, 85, 26, 57; star

2. 71, 88, 42, 76, 85; light;

76, 63, 26, 85; heat

3. 71, 88, 13, 63; life

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1. 78 − 43 = 35

2. 43 − 12 = 31

3. 16 − 3 = 13

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1. 38 − 22 = 16

2. 18 − 12 = 6

3. 48 − 8 = 40

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1. 49 − 9 = 40

2. 7 − 2 = 5

3. 25 − 14 = 11

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1. A	2. C	3. D	4. A
5. B	6. D	7. A	8. B
9. B	10. B	11. B	12. C
13. A	14. D	15. C	16. A
17. B	18. D	19. A	20. B

21. (a) 90¢ − 50¢ = 40¢

    (b) 50¢ − 30¢ = 20¢

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